

<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>				Docket No. 1982-0209P	
Application No. 10/786,077-Conf. #3543		Filing Date February 26, 2004		Examiner J. Sipos	
Art Unit 3721					
Applicant(s): Masayuki NAKAGIRI et al.					
Invention: SHEET-PROCESSING APPARATUS					
<b>MS Amendment</b> <b>Commissioner for Patents</b> <b>P.O. Box 1450</b> <b>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
<b>Total Claims</b>	20	- 20 =		x	
<b>Independent Claims</b>	2	- 3 =		x	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <span style="margin-left: 200px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity</span>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>02-2448</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.					
Marc S. Weiner Attorney Reg. No.: 32,181				Dated: <u>April 24, 2006</u>	
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> <div>             BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH &amp; BIRCH, LLP              8110 Gatehouse Road              Suite 100 East              P.O. Box 747              Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747              (703) 205-8000           </div> <div style="font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">#43,366</div> </div>					